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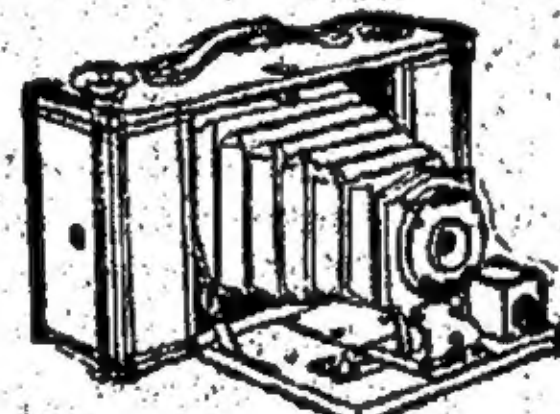
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## The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, OCTOBER 8TH, 1910.

It is unusual to have a second debate on the Colonial Estimates after the Budget has been referred to Committee for detailed examination, but the departure made from this rule at Thursday's meeting of the Legislative Council is justified in the circumstances. When commenting upon the debate on the Estimates a week ago, we discussed the unsatisfactory nature of the reply by H.E. THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT to the protest made by the Hon. Mr. Hewitt against a net increase of about \$75,000 in the total salary list. His Excellency's reply showed that he had not clearly grasped the point, and it rather suggested that Mr. Hewitt had discovered a mare's nest. The Hon. Mr. Osborne's complaint that the establishment charges of the Sanitary Board alone showed an increase of \$25,000 was left entirely unnoticed. Having regard to all that we have heard during the last year or two about "retrenchment" in the government departments, these two features of the criticism of the estimates by the Unofficial Members were very striking, and the omission of His Excellency to furnish clear and direct answers to these complaints was obviously open to more than one interpretation. As we pointed out in our comments on the debate a week ago, some allowance has to be made for a speaker who has to reply off-hand to an avalanche of criticism immediately it has fallen. The community has known Sir HENRY MAY long enough not to be under the delusion that

His Excellency desired to burke discussion of these points, and he took on Thursday the earliest opportunity of rectifying the omission. His Excellency laid on the table a detailed list of posts abolished and new posts created, and this statement showed a net increase due to the creation of new posts amounting to \$72,640. Included in this amount is the increase of \$21,528 in the Sanitary Department vote, which was explained to be due to a decision of the Sanitary Board to undertake the scavenging departmentally, instead of getting it done by contractors as heretofore. Against this increase, due to the provision of a staff for this work, has to be put the fact that the Board will not be paying scavenging contractors, and it has been estimated that the decrease in money spent on the contract will about balance the increase in the establishment charges. The Hon. Mr. Hewitt, as a member of the Sanitary Board, has been opposed to this change, seemingly because he has no longer any faith in government "estimates," after the striking evidences we have had of their unreliability, in connection with the new Law Courts, the Post Office, the Railway, the Kowloon waterworks and other undertakings. However, so far as the increase in the establishment charge of the Sanitary Department is concerned, the Government offers a satisfactory explanation; but it remains to be seen whether this increase in establishment charges will actually be balanced by savings under "other charges." If so there will be no increase in the total expenditure of the Department.

Deducting the increase in the Sanitary Department salaries from the total, we have still a sum of \$52,356 shown to be due to the creation of new posts, at a time when, having regard to the depressed state of trade and the general financial circumstances of the Colony, constant watchfulness is necessary on the part of the Government, as on the part of every firm, to keep down expenses. Looking over the list laid on the table at the Council meeting on Thursday we note that, as the Hon. Mr. Hewitt observed in his speech a week ago, there is an increase in most departments, but the principal net increases are the following: Colonial Secretary's Department, \$4,100, due to the addition of two unpassed cadets; "the present number of cadets being found to be insufficient"; Audit Department \$6,960, being provision for a second assistant auditor and a higher grade clerk; Law Officers, \$3,084, for interpreter, clerks and messengers for the Crown Solicitor, who is required to give private practice; Police and Prison Departments \$1,935, mainly for additional detectives and constables; Medical Department \$2,495, mainly due to the appointment of an apothecary and second assistant analyst on account of the increase of work thrown on the Analyst's Department by the Liquor Duty Ordinance. Then we come to a net increase of nearly \$15,000 in the Education vote; due to the opening of new schools; an increase of \$13,247 in the Public Works Department, and \$4,063 in the Post Office. The Unofficial Members, as represented by the Hon. Mr. Hewitt, endorsed the increase in the Education vote, but attacked the estimates as a whole on the broad ground that "the working of the Government is extravagant." That is well enough so far as it goes, for these are times which do not warrant increases in establishment charges; but a general accusation of extravagance would be all the stronger if it were supported by illustrative instances. The Hon. Mr. Hewitt said he had not come prepared for this debate and therefore could only complain generally of the increase. Though His Excellency Sir HENRY MAY made a defence of several items, other large increases remain unexplained. We imagine the public would have liked, for instance, to know what has added so much to the work of the Colonial Secretariat as to require the services of two additional cadets; also why a second assistant auditor is now necessary; and why also the Public Works Department must spend ten or twelve thousand dollars next year on temporary assistance, when a re-arrangement of holiday arrangements might conceivably render this unnecessary. We gather from the Directory that the Director of Public Works has a staff of nine executive engineers and ten assistant engineers. Of these, four executive engineers are at present out of the Colony, three being on long leave and one gone on promotion to another Colony. How many assistant engineers are on leave we do not know—three, at least; possibly more. It may be that there is some more or less satisfactory explanation of all this, but a contrast with practice in ordinary business circles is inevitable. No firm in the Colony can afford to have so large a proportion of its staff away on long

leave at the same time. It is considerations of this kind, combined with the excessively high cost of many public undertakings, which go to form a public opinion which regards the Government as extravagant. The Estimates have now been passed, unamended in any particular, but it may be hoped that the strong expression of opinion which the unexpected increase in the establishment charges called forth from the Unofficial Members of the Council will serve to check any further tendencies in that direction on the part of Heads of Departments.

The German mail of the 7th September was delivered in London on the 6th inst.

A special passenger train is advertised to leave Kowloon Ferry station at 8.30 a.m. tomorrow (Sunday).

A boy who was riding on the footboard of a tram car near Shaukiwan the other day met with disaster in jumping off and his foot got under the wheels. He had three toes taken off.

The seven men charged with being concerned in the Colowan piracy appeared before the Magistrate yesterday, and after further evidence had been heard the men were again remanded.

In our report of the Legislative Council meeting on Thursday we inadvertently stated that the Hon. Mr. Hewitt said he thought the increase in the Harbour Department was only about \$25,000. The increase mentioned by the hon. member was \$265.

As a result of the deliberations between sub-committees of the Foreign Banks and Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce, it has been resolved that the decision of the Banks not to recognise native orders of more than five days' currency will remain inoperative until the end of February, 1911.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the North China Insurance Company, Ltd., it was decided to recommend payment of a final dividend for the year 1909 of 7½ per cent. on the paid-up capital at exchange 2/5, making 15 per cent. for the year, and a bonus of 15 per cent. on contributory premia.

According to a report made to the Director of Public Works in the Philippines by the chief road inspector, the damage done to the Benguet Road by the late typhoon will not amount to over P.25,000, just half what it was at first believed it would cost to put the road into condition again for automobile traffic.

Yesterday morning a big theft of silk was accomplished from the s.s. Charles Hardman as she was lying at her wharf. Sixteen bales of raw silk, valued at \$16,000, were stolen. The thief is supposed to have taken the material on board a cargo boat and rowed away in an easterly direction. The silk was to have been transhipped here for America.

## THE GREAT NICOLA.

Nicola is fully entitled to the description generally applied to him. He is "great." Were it not so, he could not set communities agog with excitement and nightly draw large audiences to see him. Without doubt, he is the most discussed man in Hongkong at present, and those who have witnessed his performances realise that they have been treated to exhibitions which are far in advance of the ordinary. His illusions are marvellous. The audience realises they are being tricked, but it is so cleverly done that they are simply lost in amazement. Last night he was faced by another full house and the programme delighted and puzzled every body. Interest centred in the feat announced by the great magician that he would allow himself to be placed in a box supplied by Messrs. Price & Co., and the box nailed up. He was only closed up in the packing case, which had special clips for fastening the corners, and he fulfilled his promise of escaping from it without breaking the box. How it was done no one could guess, but when the audience grasped what had been accomplished they broke into rapturous applause.

NICOLA'S DEATH-DEFYING FEAT TO-NIGHT. To-night, we are informed, the Great Nicola will perform "what is without a doubt the most dangerous feat ever attempted by anyone." Surely the feat is the most wonderful of all that this wonderful conjurer has yet presented in Hongkong. He proposes to have a large milk can brought upon the stage, which will be filled to the top with water, then Nicola will be placed in the can, his head and body will be submerged under water, and a large cover will be fastened down with five or six padlocks, the keys of which will be held by the committee. He agrees to make his escape while holding his breath, or meet the consequences.

When it is considered that during the entire progress of this feat Nicola is completely under water, and that he must make his escape from a solid iron can in a remarkably short space of time, or death will be his fate, we are absolutely mystified. It is needless to say that this test will unquestionably fill the theatre with interested auditors.

On Monday night, which is to be Nicola's last performance in Hongkong, another most startling feat will be presented. The nature of it will be announced later.

## SEVEN DEATHS DURING VOYAGE.

Captain Leask, of the British steamer *Kum Sang*, which arrived in port yesterday from Calcutta, reports that during the voyage seven deaths from beri beri occurred. The vessel brought 840 Chinese passengers, including fourteen deportees, from Singapore. She had fine weather to the Paracels, but after that encountered strong north-easterly winds and heavy seas and rain.

## TELEGRAMS. TELEGRAMS.

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## THE REVOLUTION IN PORTUGAL.

## REPUBLICAN GOVERNMENT'S PROCLAMATION.

## ROYALTIES AT GIBRALTAR.

LONDON, October 7th.

Reuter's correspondent at Lisbon telegraphs that President Braga's Government has issued a proclamation to the people in which it is stated that the "eternal proscription of the maleficent Braganza Dynasty is the redemption of an indomitable race whose valour is legendary. This must be the beginning of an epoch of austere morality and immaculate justice."

Senhor Braga has notified the Powers of the proclamation of the Republic and the establishment of a Provisional Government, and guarantees public safety.

No disturbances have taken place in the provinces.

## NEWS VIA SPAIN.

Spanish official telegrams declare that the provincial troops are marching to Lisbon to support the loyalists.

The royal yacht "Amelia" has put to sea.

The Infante Alfonso embarked at Cascaes.

It is believed that the other members of the Royal Family embarked at Peniche (a town on the Atlantic 47 miles N.W. of Lisbon) or Bicyeria.

## THE KING.

The British Foreign Office has no further news, but does not believe that King Manuel is on board a British warship.

Communication with Lisbon is cut off by land, and only cables favourable to the Republic are allowed to pass.

## ROYALTIES AT GIBRALTAR.

LATER.

Reuter's correspondent at Gibraltar telegraphs that the royal yacht "Amelia" has arrived at Gibraltar, with Queen Amelia and the Infante Alfonso on board.

It is reported the King Manuel is also on board.

## LISBON NEWS.

The news from Lisbon is of the scantiest description.

The situation appears uncertain.

Some of the troops have not signified their adherence to the Republic.

The latest dispatches, dated Thursday noon, state that the Republic has triumphed throughout the country.

The General commanding the entrenched camp at Lisbon has announced adherence to the Republic.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The Hongkong Observatory yesterday issued the following report:—On the 7th at 12.05 p.m.—The barometer has risen moderately in E. Japan, and fallen a like amount over the E. and N.E. coasts of China.

A depression is approaching N. China from the Westward, and the high pressure area is now shown over E. Japan. Moderate N.E. winds may be expected over the N. part of the China Sea. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.

The forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon to-day is as follows:—Hongkong & Neighbourhood (N.E. winds, moderate; fair. Same as No. 1. South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamook. Same as No. 1. South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan. Same as No. 1.

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## SUSPECTED ATTEMPT TO MURDER PRINCE TSAI.

## A HEAVILY ARMED CHINAMAN ARRESTED.

LONDON, October 1st.

A San Francisco telegram states that what is believed to be an attempt to assassinate Prince Tsai Hsun has been frustrated by detectives who arrested a heavily-armed Chinaman on board the steamer "Chiyo-maru" by which the Prince and his suite were departing for home.

## HAMBURG STRIKE ENDED.

LONDON, October 7th.

The shipbuilding hands at Hamburg who have for some weeks been on strike have accepted the compromise proposals made by the Employers.

## COTTON LOCK-OUT ENDED.

LONDON, October 7th.

The lockout in the cotton trade is ended, and work will be resumed on Monday.

## SUPREME COURT.

Friday, October 7th.

## IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR MR. F. A. HAZELAND (ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE).

## PRESSED FOR TIME.

The case was mentioned in which Alla Dad sued Alla Ditta to recover \$361.25.

Mr. Hinds (of Messrs. Brutton & Helt), who represented the defendant, said he had been unable to get hold of the plaintiff, and asked his Lordship to fix a day in order to get him here. "If his Lordship would fix any morning—His Lordship—I have not got a morning; I have not got a minute."

Mr. Hinds—It is only a question of getting the plaintiff here. The action will be over in a quarter of an hour.

His Lordship—The question is? Mr. Gardiner—Whether I was instructed by someone who came to my office and said he was Alla Dad.

The case is to be mentioned next Friday. J. T. Shaw v. the Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., was a claim for \$70.50 for negligence and trespass.

Mr. M. Reader Harris (of Messrs. Wilkinson & Grist) appeared for the plaintiff, and defendants were represented by Mr. A. Jackson (of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes & Master).

Mr. Harris asked his Lordship to fix a day for the hearing.

His Lordship—What is the nature of the case? Mr. Harris—Damages for negligence.

His Lordship—Will you want a jury? Mr. Harris—I am not quite sure yet.

His Lordship—The hearing will probably take a couple of days, will it not? Mr. Harris—It will take one, and it may stretch to two.

His Lordship—What is the nature of the case? Mr. Harris—It is a claim for damages for negligence by knocking over something in my client's shop and spoiling a number of suits of clothes. We claim damages for negligence and for trespass. The defendants while putting up fittings outside the window pushed something through the window and knocked the electric fan over.

Mr. Jackson—The Electric Co. were putting lights in the shops outside the Hongkong Hotel. The hearing was fixed for the 9th and 10th January.

## TRAMWAY PROSECUTIONS.

A number of prosecutions in the interest of the Tramway Company took place at the Magistrate's yesterday.

In the first case a Taisoo Dockyard employee was summoned for riding on the footboard of a car. He told the Magistrate (Mr. E. H. Hallifax) that he intended to pay his fare. His Worship did not accept the explanation and ordered him to pay a fine of \$10.

The second case was that in which a man, also from Shaukiwan, was charged with having refused to pay his fare and had also assaulted the conductor. It was explained that when the conductor asked the defendant for his fare the latter, who was accompanied by four others, struck him and caught him by the jacket. The conductor blew his whistle, the tram was stopped, and the five men bolted. At the terminus defendant with his companions again approached the conductor, struck him, and incited the others to do so as well. Eventually the men were separated and the conductor returned to the car. His assistants continued to molest him by throwing stones, one of which hit him. The man denied the charge, but the case was adjourned to admit of further evidence being called.

## LOCAL SPORT.

## FOOTBALL.

## SIX-A-SIDE COMPETITION.

The teams in the six-a-side competition of the Hongkong Football Club are as follows:—Gregory (Capt.), I. L. Goldenberg, H. Goldenberg, F. H. Kew, A. Hordet and J. Hansen. H. L. Garrett (Capt.), Y. Yunker, A. Whitmarsh, G. H. Bowker, E. Ferrier and J. Ball-Irving. W. G. Goggia (Capt.), H. W. Moom, L. G. Townsend, H. Hunter, S. Chapman and E. Walker. A. Hamilton (Capt.), A. Aitchison, M. W. Bishop, T. Weall, W. Clarke and A. H. Telling. R. C. Barlow (Capt.), R. B. Riddell, J. McCabbin, H. H. Taylor, H. W. Sayer and A. C. Brown.

The fixture list is as follows:—Monday, 10th—Garrett v. Goggia. Hamilton v. Gregory. Tuesday, 11th—Barlow v. Garrett. Goggia v. Gregory. Thursday, 13th—Hamilton v. Garrett. Gregory v. Barlow. Monday, 17th—Hamilton v. Goggia. Garrett v. Gregory. Tuesday, 18th—Goggia v. Barlow. Wednesday, 19th—Hamilton v. Barlow.

## LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

FIXTURES FOR 1910-1911.

## OCTOBER.

15—Hongkong v. Buffs	Hongkong
R. E. v. Kowloon	Military
Naval Yard v. R.G.A.	Naval
22—Kowloon v. Hongkong	Kowloon
Buffs v. Naval Yard	Military
26—R. E. v. Buffs	Military
29—Hongkong v. R.G.A.	Hongkong
Naval v. R.E.	Naval
Buffs v. Kowloon	Military

## NOVEMBER.

5—Buffs v. R.E.	Military
Kowloon v. Naval Yard	Kowloon
9—R.G.A. v. Buffs	Military
12—Hongkong v. Kowloon	Hongkong
R.G.A. v. R.E.	Military
19—R. E. v. Hongkong	Naval
Kowloon v. Buffs	Military
23—Buffs v. R.G.A.	Military
26—Hongkong v. Buffs	Hongkong
Naval Yard v. Kowloon	Naval
R.G.A. v. R.E.	Military

## DECEMBER.

3—Citizens v. Navy	Hongkong
10—Hongkong v. Naval Yard	Hongkong
17—Kowloon v. R.E.	Kowloon
R.G.A. v. Hongkong	Military
24—Naval Yard v. R.G.A.	Naval
Hongkong v. R.E.	Hongkong
31—Kowloon v. R.G.A.	Kowloon
R.E. v. Naval Yard	Military

## JANUARY.

7—Naval Yard v. Hongkong	Naval
14—Kowloon v. R.G.A.	Kowloon
21—Citizens v. Military	Hongkong

The match on December 3 between the Citizens and the Navy is in aid of the Bedford disaster relief fund.

## RUGBY.

## H.K.F.C. v. H.M.S. "KENT."

The following will represent the Club in a Rugby match against H.M.S. *Kent* on the Club Ground at Happy Valley this afternoon, kick off at 4.30 p.m.:—Full back, T. J. Robson, Three-quarters, J. C. Roberts, H. G. Hegarty, G. D. McDermott, C. A. W. Ferrier; Halves, J. McGregor and T. Cooker; Forwards, A. Temperley, C. C. F. Cunningham, W. Ross, H. Bates, D. J. Chesebrough, J. Ball-Irving, A. H. Reiss and H. W. Lester.

## CRICKET.

## WATSON'S v. CRAIGENOWER.

In the match which will be played this afternoon Watson's team will be selected from the following:—Spittles, Taylor, Harper, Rapp, Spurge, Dewsbury, Williams, Craik, Croucher, Johnstone, Tarrant and Phillips.

## HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

The opening match of the season will take place this afternoon, commencing at 2.15, between the 1st XI. and The Rest.—1st XI.—R. Hancock, W. C. D. Turner, T. E. Pearce, H. Hancock, A. C. E. Elborough, R. E. O. Bird, H. D. Sharpin, H. B. Makin, A. H. Young, Capt. G. E. Garrett, R.A., and Lt. H. P. Bagnall, R.A.

The Rest:—Hon. Dr. J. M. Atkinson (Capt.), Dr. G. E. Aubrey, A. F. Dashwood, R. Pestonji, M. M. Maas, B. F. Chapman, G. A. Cooke, R.N., A. P. H. Bonquette, R.N., H. F. Long, Col. H. D. Staigole, A.S.O., M. Reader Harris, H. R. Phillips, G. A. Hastings, Capt. D. Clapham, R.A., A. R. Lowe, C. T. Hoss, Lt. R. Tippet, R.N., D. E. Donnelly, P. Jacks, Lt. F. B. Hitchcock, R.A., A. B. Sutherland, Lt. D. K. Anderson (Buffs), W. E. Warburton, Lt. J. Crookenden (Buffs), H. W. Sayer, and Rev. S. W. Payne.

## AN ANGLO-CHINESE PUZZLE.

The following letter from a Chinese boy was received by the Captain of a local steamer:—"DEAR CAPTAIN,—I am very sorry that have been was resignation by the a.s. of Huc in the during and reference without two years and several months the service of my. I shall feel much obliged kindly to you whenever to be found as are you got the place for me. And regard to your as possibly given me a good paper of testimonial a letters when your was writing already keep up to behalf the compratore of Marty office." The Captain from whom we received it did not say whether he had yet been successful in getting it translated.



## CRICKET FROM THE COLONIES.



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## TO LET.

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Apply to—  
**SPANISH DOMINICAN PROCUSSION.**  
Hongkong, 8th October, 1910. [1160]  
**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.**

For SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

## THE Company's Steamship

"DUMBLA"  
Capt. Robert, will be despatched for the above Ports, on MONDAY, the 10th inst. at 4 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**P. THOMAS, Agent.**

Hongkong, 8th October, 1910. [2]

## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

From CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

## THE Company's Steamship

"KUMSANG,"  
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.  
Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. on the 10th inst. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 7th October, 1910. [14]

**TOYO KISEN KAISHA.**

**SOUTH AMERICAN LINE.**

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**

**S.S. "BUYO MARU."**

The above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of Cargo alongside.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed at once at Consignees' risk and expense.  
Cargo remaining on board after the 12th inst., at 10 a.m. will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
All Cargo undelivered by Thursday, the 13th inst., at NOON, will be subject to re-shipment. All chafed and otherwise damaged Cargo will be examined at the above Company's Godown Thursday, the 13th inst., at 10 a.m.  
**N. YAMADA,**  
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, 8th October, 1910. [1159]

G. R.

**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION**  
No. 8,221.

**IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED** that Tenders will be received at the COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE until NOON of SATURDAY, the 29th October, 1910, for the Supply of ABATED WATER; BEDDING and CLOTHING; BEERS, SPIRITS, WINES, etc.; CHERNOIA; DRUGS; SUGAR; INSTRUMENTS and TOOLS; FURNITURE, etc.; MILE, etc.; PROVISIONS; SUNDRIES and WASHING; (Schedules Nos. 1 to 9) required locally, by the Department, for the period of one year, from the 1st of January next inclusive.  
For form of Tender apply at the COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.  
All other information may be obtained from the PRINCIPAL CIVIL MEDICAL OFFICER at the CIVIL HOSPITAL.

**J. M. ATKINSON,**  
Principal Civil Medical Officer,  
Medical Department.  
Hongkong, 4th October, 1910. [1147]

**SOCIETE DES PULPES ET PAPIETERIES DU TONKIN.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that a First Call of Dollars Ten (\$10) and Cents Twenty-five (25) HONGKONG CURRENCY, per Share will be made on the Preferred Shares of the above Company on the 1st October, 1910.  
Payment must be made to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, The Banque de l'Indo-Chine, or to the INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION between SATURDAY, the 1st, and SATURDAY, the 8th October, 1910.  
The Provisional Certificates may be sent in to Messrs. LOWE, BINGHAM & MATHEWS, St. George's Building, for endorsement after payment has been made, on surrender of the Bankers' Receipts. Interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum will be charged on all unpaid calls after the 8th October, 1910.  
For the Board of Directors,  
**T. F. HOUGH,**  
Chairman.  
Hongkong General Purpose Committee.  
Hongkong, 1st October, 1910. [1009]

**AUTOMATIC BROWNING POCKET PISTOLS.**

## INTIMATIONS

**KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY.**  
(British Section.)

## NOTICE.

A SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAIN will leave KOWLOON FERRY STATION at 8.30 on SUNDAY MORNING for LOWE STATION, and return from LOWE at 11 a.m.  
BY ORDER.  
Hongkong, 7th October, 1910. [1154]

## ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

IN Accordance with Article 7 of the Rules of Constitution a SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the Society will be held in the CITY HALL, on MONDAY, 10th inst., at 5.30 p.m., in order to reconsider the subscription for the Ball to be held on the 30th proximo.

**P. S. JAMESON,**  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 3rd October, 1910. [1145]

## "BEDFORD" RELIEF FUND

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AT THE  
**CITY HALL.**

On SATURDAY, 15th, and MONDAY, 17th OCTOBER.  
Seats may be booked at the ROBINSON PIANO Co., on and after MONDAY, 3rd October.  
Hongkong, 27th September, 1910. [1095]

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Hongkong, 8th June, 1906. [94-168]

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REVISED BY THE MEMBERS.  
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Hongkong, 4th October, 1910. [1148]

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## PUBLIC COMPANIES

**THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LTD.**  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FOURTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong, THIS DAY (SATURDAY), the 8th October, 1910, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st July, 1910.  
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st to 8th October, 1910, both days inclusive.  
By Order,  
**M. MANUK,**  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, 8th October, 1910. [1100]

**CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD.**  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the undersigned on SATURDAY, the 15th October, at NOON.  
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 3rd to the 15th October, 1910, both days inclusive.  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,**  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, 26th September, 1910. [1110]

**NOTICE OF REMOVAL.**  
We have This Day REMOVED our Office to No. 8, DES VUEX ROAD CENTRAL, 2nd floor (corner of Ice House Street).  
**WEASER & RAVEN,**  
Architects and Surveyors.  
Hongkong, 1st October, 1910. [1134]

**NOTICE OF REMOVAL.**  
I HAVE This Day REMOVED my Office to No. 8, DES VUEX ROAD CENTRAL (Corner of Ice House Street), Top Floor.  
**J. HENNESSEY SETH,**  
Hongkong, 1st October, 1910. [1138]

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Hongkong, 1st October, 1910. [1138]

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Hongkong, 3rd October, 1910. [707]

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Hongkong, 16th July, 1910. [119]

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Hongkong, 12th September, 1910. [591]

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Hongkong, 27th April, 1910. [107]

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A new French motor combines the steam turbine, the gas-engine and the hot-air engine. The continuous rotary motion of the turbine is much less wasteful of energy than the reciprocating motion of piston engines, but attempts to utilize in turbines the great advantages of power from gas explosion have not been successful. The new machine is made to operate steadily and economically through simple gas combustion. The turbine, of ordinary type and working well at 600 to 700 deg. C., is of special nickel, vanadium or tungsten steel, and has a novel feature in a compressor on the same axis, that sends into the gas-generator a current of air at a pressure of several atmospheres. Heavy petrol oil sprayed into the generator is burned in the current of air heated to 1,800 deg. C. The great volume of gas produced gives sufficient pressure to drive the turbine, but as the heat is too great, the excess is used partly for heating the air previous to combustion and partly to vaporize water injected into the gases. To resist the high temperatures, the gas receptacle is of metal lined with carburendum. The heat is fully utilized and an odd mixture of air, carbonic acid and unreacted steam turns the turbine.

The trick of smooth water, or "heel water," stretching in the wake of a moving vessel is often noticed, but little understood. The effect is not due to the influence of the oil on surface tension, though the stilling of the waves may be similar. Prof. Althorn, a German investigator, has made some experiments with bodies moved on the water, and these show that the gyroscopic action of the eddies or whirls left behind on each side of the vessel smooth out the smaller waves and give the calm, oily-appearing track that is so familiar. The larger and swifter the ship the longer and broader is the smooth wake.

Though a single spawn of the female of the American toad contains 8000 eggs, N. Miller finds no increase in the species. Dragon-fly water-beetles, newts, crayfish and other water animals are destroyers.

Areas of earthquake and volcanic activity are travelling westward about 25 miles a year, according to the investigation of H. Wegner, a German physicist. He accounts for this by the novel theory that the earth's solid crust encloses a thin layer of liquid, within which is a solid nucleus rotating about the same axis as the outer shell, and in the same direction but with a slightly less velocity, the lagging behind causing the nucleus to make a revolution to the west in the crust in about 952 years. It is assumed that earthquake and volcanic disturbances result when projecting or active spots on the nucleus are moved under weak portions of the crust. From reports of ships during the last 60 years, it is calculated that the active spots of the Atlantic are really all collected at the present time under the region between 35 and 41 degrees west longitude, and 1 degree north and 1 degree south latitude, and that this area off the north-east coast of South America may be regarded as a danger zone.

That the soil possibilities of Palestine and California are much the same is quite

revelation. Prof. A. Arrensmann of Haifa, Palestine, has pointed out that each region has a range of low mountains near the coast, and beyond this a long interior valley with a range of higher mountains for the eastern wall, and, as the prevailing winds have the same direction, the distribution of rainfall corresponds closely. It is found that the very similar climatic and topographic conditions have produced similar plants. The languishing of agriculture in Palestine seems to be a result of poor government, not of sterile soil and arid climate, and it is believed that under better management the economic plants that flourish in California will be successfully introduced.

In electrical curing, meat is covered with ordinary pickle in large wooden tanks, through which is passed an alternating current of 35 amperes at 36 volts. The carbon electrodes are enclosed in porous cups dipping into the brine. The electrical action is not well understood, but the curing is hastened, and a vat of two tons of meat is treated for less than a dollar.

The curious transparency of gold leaf when heated in contact with glass has been found by J. C. Chapman and H. L. Porter to have a curious explanation. When gold leaf was stretched on a platinum loop and heated in a double-walled quartz crucible, it became more taut with rise in temperature, and eventually the contraction tore the leaf in places. The contraction temperature was above 340 deg. C. A leaf held by one side was weighted on the other edge to keep it under tension, and after reaching the critical temperature it contracted very rapidly with further increase. The microscope showed a change to a structure decidedly more granular. The effect is produced in the leaf only, and on heating gold wire there was no contraction. The transparency when heated on glass is attributed to the numerous clear spaces produced by the tearing of the leaf.

An interesting substitute for frescoes outside decoration has been proposed by Prof. Wm. Ostwald. The fresco was suitable for the Middle Ages, but the sulphuric acid always present in the air of coal-burning cities causes such decoration to be rapidly destroyed at the present day. The existing ornamentation to take its place is a pastel done upon a specially prepared ground, then fixed with chemicals, and finally rubbed over with paraffin. A two per cent solution of casein serves as fixing material. The acid causes the paraffin to become insoluble and the picture is thus preserved by the vegetable case which so rapidly effects all frescoes. A sterilized base is a safeguard against interstitial bacterial decomposition, imparting durability as well as without.

Ferro-concrete as a building material for resisting earthquakes seems to have very favorably impressed Prof. Omori and N. Kikuchi, the Japanese seismological experts. In his lecture, he found examples of construction with the material. A house was quite unaffected, and in some factories with brick walls and ferro-concrete frames, the former had fallen out while the latter was left intact. A large reservoir of brick was completely destroyed; a similar reservoir of ferro-concrete passed through the earthquake without damage.

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Mr. David Fraser writes in "The Diary of a Traveller": "Contributing to *The Times* of London." Next day was less monotonous, for we passed through several Arab encampments and saw something of the domestic economy of these primitive people. Many of their camels and newly-born foals, and queer little beasts they are, covered with the softest snow-white down. For a cigarette the herdsmen would willingly draw a bowlful of the rich milk these newly-made mothers give. A young Christian lady and I, and my caravan, but, myself, revelled in the dances. Sham, however, procured for me what suited my palate better, a goodly supply of the finest leben. This is the sour milk become fashionable in England since I left home, but a very old friend of mine, for it is daily food throughout all Central Asia. It is curious that the West has been so slow to appreciate this delectable Oriental article, which always known in the East, and which is sold throughout Europe. The Arabs make it of fresh milk, when it is rich and nourishing, and of milk from which the butter has been extracted, when it is the most refreshing and most delicious drink that man could wish for on a hot day. From both kinds the moisture can be allowed to drip away, leaving a rich cream cheese, or a strong saltish cheese. Doctors affect to advise that the sour milk they say is to be produced is particularly good, and by the right kind of microbes, and that none other is so good. Well, the Arabs, and the Turks, and the Kirghis, and hosts of others, do not know any thing about microbes, and yet they provide the real thing day after day, and year after year, like their predecessors before them from time immemorial. And they do it simply by adding a little of yesterday's milk to the milk of to-day and the milk of tomorrow comes the same. And they start it off afresh by boiling the milk and letting it stand in wooden buckets in a cool place, and still it comes the same. Nor is its value even more than that of fresh milk. Indeed, there seems to be current quite a number of distorted notions about sour milk. It is supposed to induce longevity, because Hungarians are said to never die until they are 100 years of age. Quite so, but how does the children? Wherever they feed the infant mortality is over 50 per cent, and that is true of every country between Rulerian and Afghanistan.

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Those who conquer Malaria conquer the tropics, is a proverb with which every resident in the tropics is familiar. This is in consequence of the onward march of malarial infection, so devastating in its onset, so debilitating in its progress, and so disorganizing in its result to the whole system is better understood than it used to be, it is still, unhappily, exceedingly prevalent, and is likely to continue until the conditions which produce it have been banished.

Most people know that while Malaria may take various forms it is due to a special germ or microbe, which attacks the red corpuscles by which the oxygen of the air is carried by the blood to every part of the body to burn up its impurities. The destruction of these corpuscles produces the marked symptoms so characteristic of the disease—the pale, sallow, earthy complexion, the mental and physical lassitude, the depression, the morbid thoughts and feelings, the aching muscles and the tender joints.

Bad as is all this, the result of Anemia or poverty of the blood, as it is commonly called, which makes life a burden to the sufferer, it may be considerably furthered and it produces that wasted and dangerous condition of the system doctors call "Cholera."

For long Quinine has been the sheet anchor of the physician, and in the acute stages it generally answers admirably, but in the later stages something else has to be employed to hasten the effects wrought by the microbe.

Recently, in this country, the loss of the disease germ which invades the body under the banner of Malaria, the physician has been presented with a weapon as potent as Quinine, the modern medicine par excellence against the old malarial germ. This weapon is Sanatogen, one of the most powerful stimulants and vitalizing agents ever given to the world. Its remarkable properties are due to its two constituents Calcium and Phosphorus, a combination containing phosphorus in the precise form which it exists in the body. Phosphorus, as everyone knows, is not only a physical but a mental stimulant, and is indispensable for the discharge of the functions of the nervous system, but is also absolutely essential for the growth of what physiologists term the cells of the body, the microscopic bricks of which the human edifice is constructed. This cell growth is greatly interfered with in Malaria, and a supply of phosphorus which is easily absorbed by the depleted system is urgently necessary to restore it to its standard activity. Nothing does this so well as Sanatogen, as nothing so rapidly restores the vitality of the blood as this preparation, which is prescribed by over twelve thousand physicians in the world because no secret has been made of its constituents and its use is its overwhelming value in restoring the functions of the body to its normal state.

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## JAPANESE PAINTING.

The Times of the 10th ult. contains the following article on this interesting subject—

Last Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday all the Japanese pictures that have been shown in small, relayed at Shapient's-bush were exhibited to a full and distinguished audience at the Garden Club, so that it was possible to get a clear view of their total effect. Knowledge of the finer Chinese and Japanese painting is still so new in Europe that even those who admire it most have some natural diffidence in expressing their opinion about it. We have had to revise our ideas of Japanese painting, in particular, so thoroughly and rapidly that we feel our revised ideas may be as far from the truth as the old ones. Scarcely a generation has passed since Whistler was moved to enthusiasm by the Japanese colour print and praised the daintiness and the exquisite frivolity of Oriental art. Now we know that the Japanese themselves think little of their colour prints, or, indeed, of the whole genre school of painting out of which the colour prints arose, compared with their more serious religious and landscape art. We further know that this more serious art of theirs was mainly an imitation of a still greater Chinese art, of which Whistler and the earlier European admirers of Japanese design were quite ignorant. Just at the time when we have had a signal proof that the Japanese are very serious masters of the art of painting, we have also learnt that they are, or have been, masters no less serious of the art of painting; that they have used it not merely, as the lesser French renaissance painters used it, to illustrate their lighter pleasures, but also to express a profound religious emotion and a profound delight in the beauties of nature. We have seen the great representations of the Incarnation of Buddha, figures which in their abstract solemnity surpass almost everything in European painting, and which are now being copied by Fra Angelico, Piero della Francesca, and Michelangelo; we have seen, too, the Angels of the Buddhist Heaven welcoming the blessed spirits with an ethereal joy which only Fra Angelico has expressed in Western painting; and we have seen the great Kwanon, the Goddess of Pity, attributed to Kanoka, a work which in its combination of tenderness with abstract majesty has scarcely a parallel in European art.

These praises may seem exaggerated when we remember that all Japanese pictures are slight compared with the greatest Italian masterpieces; and certainly, in the first flush of our enthusiasm for this strange new art, we must still ask ourselves whether its comparative poverty of representation makes it inferior to European painting. That is a difficult question to answer. No doubt the greater the power of representation, the greater the power of expression, where representation is used always as a means of expression. We have seen no Japanese or Chinese picture that seems to us to express so much as Michelangelo's "Creation of Adam" or Titian's last "Piety" or Rembrandt's "Supper at Emmaus." They are all poor in content than these great works, as a single lyric is poorer than a great drama. They lack the cumulative power which only exists with a very full statement, whether in literature or in art. But, if we look for the same qualities in those works that we look for in lyric poetry, we must admit their constant and systematic success. In all branches of their art the Chinese have shown a remarkable intellectual power of systematizing the means of expression without falling into mere mechanical formulae. There is none of our random experiment or purposeless statement of fact in their landscape painting; none of our meaningless rhetoric or irrelevant realism in their religious works. And the Japanese have imitated them in this respect as successfully as they have imitated European masters in the art of war. They seem indeed, to be a nation with a genius for imitation, imitating with the zest and force of originators, divining at once the innermost secret of their models and making it their own. Their early religious art appears to be entirely Chinese, yet they are quite free from the tameness and absurdity of the Italianizing painters of Northern Europe. There seems to be an original inspiration in each one of them. One would suppose that the abstract grandeur, the almost narcotic tranquillity, of the great Chinese figures, was quite foreign to their bustling lively character. They do not belong to that East that

let the legions thunder past, And plunged in thought again.

And yet there are all these Chinese qualities in their representations of the Incarnation of Buddha and of Kwanon, the Goddess of Pity; while there is a Chinese serenity of bliss in their golden angels swaying like flowers upon the clouds to welcome the blessed Spirits into Heaven. There is only one of their great religious pictures which, in this exhibition, disappoints us, who seems, to Western eyes at least, to follow patterns of which he does not quite grasp the meaning; and that is one of their most famous masters, Chodensu. The pictures of his representing the Arhatas or disciples of Buddha, are certainly a disappointment. They are dexterous, especially in the beautifully patterned draperies, but one cannot find in their design or in their colour that profound religious emotion for which he was famous. He represents more fully than the earlier religious masters, as fully, indeed, as many Italian painters of the 15th century; but this representation seems to lack the glory of Oriental painting. These works are to the Kwanon ascribed to Kanoka what the painting of Ghirlandajo is to the painting of Fra Angelico. Among the landscape painters, Sesshu, whom the Japanese esteem most highly, is also a little disappointing. He is evidently a very brilliant exponent, but he does not seem to have the delicate imaginative power of Masanobu, whose Chinese sage admiring the lotus flowers has the intensity of a Giorgione, and whose angling on a wintry lake is scarcely inferior to it. In these works Japanese art shows none of that ostentatious, rather French, dexterity which seem to have overcome it in later stages, and which is so far removed even from the exquisite gaiety and grace of Chinese painting of the Ming period. The later Japanese painting is incessantly witty, like so much French painting of the 18th century; and this witfulness is what makes its brilliant decorative schemes more interesting than the modern European decorative painting which has been so much influenced by them. It also makes them seem a little shallow and trifling beside Chinese work.

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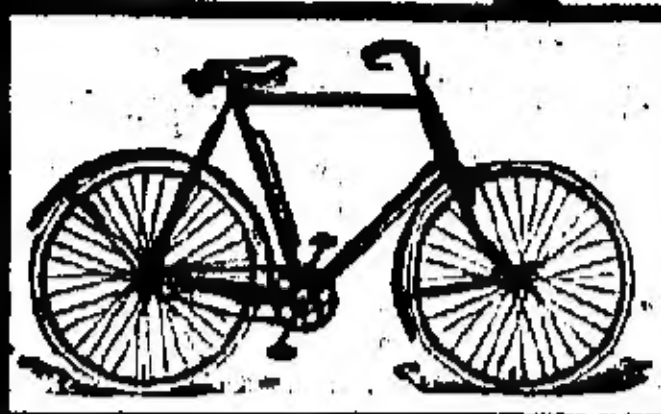
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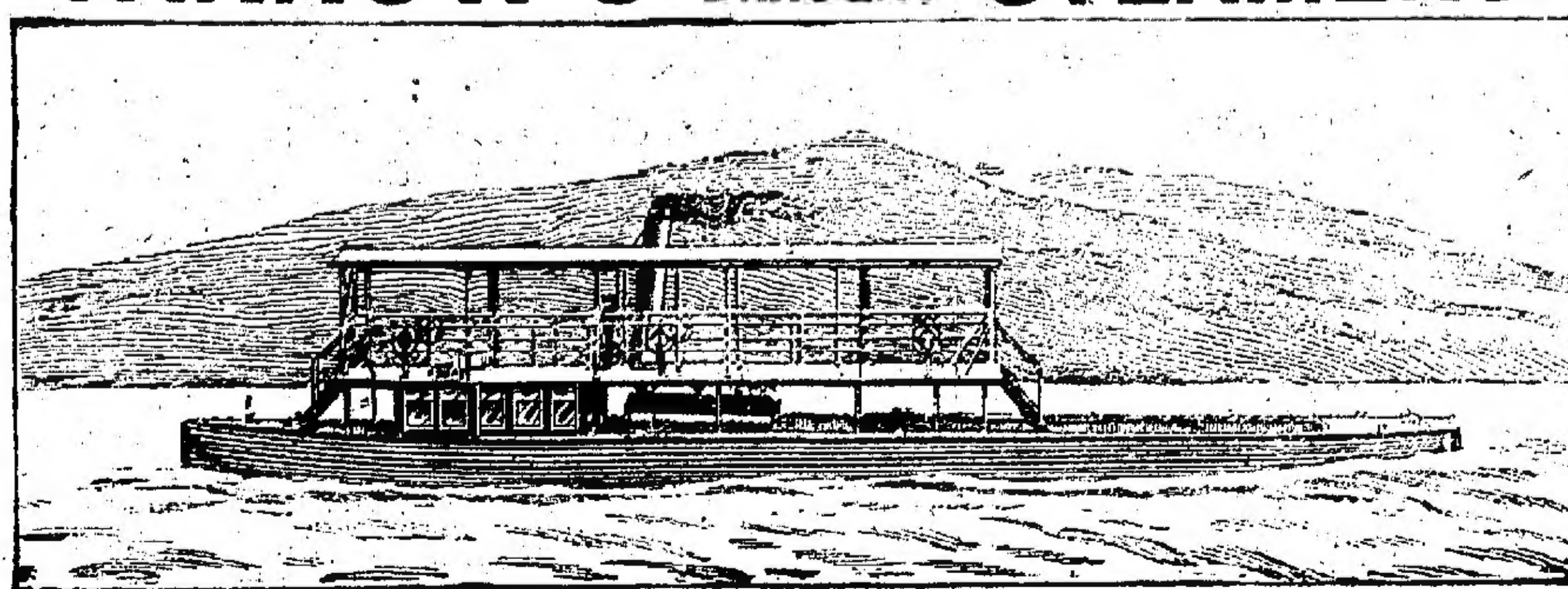
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HAVRE & HAMBURG via STRAITS, &c.	BADENIA	Ger. str.	k. w.	Wagner	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE	To-day.
HAVRE & HAMBURG via STRAITS, &c.	ALEXIA	Ger. str.	k. w.	Habel	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE	On 13th inst.
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MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	CARNAVONSHIRE	Brit. str.	—	Gregory	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	About 17th inst.
MARSEILLES, &c., via PORTS OF CALL	YANKEE	Brit. str.	—	Ristorcelli	MELCHERS & Co.	On 11th inst., at 1 p.m.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP via SINGAPORE, &c.	ITO MARU	Jap. str.	—	R. Takada	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 12th inst., at D'light
HAVRE & HAMBURG via STRAITS, &c.	C. FRED. LARSEN	Ger. str.	k. w.	Knaul	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE	On 23rd inst.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP via SINGAPORE, &c.	HIBANO MARU	Jap. str.	—	H. Fraser	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 26th inst., at D'light
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP via SINGAPORE, &c.	TANGO MARU	Jap. str.	—	A. Christiansen	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 9th Nov., at D'light
NAPLES, GENOA, ALGERES, GIBRALTAR, &c.	P. E. FRIEDRICH	Ger. str.	—	F. Prosch	MELCHERS & Co.	On 19th inst., at Noon
TRIESTE, &c., via SINGAPORE, &c.	AUSTRIA	Aus. str.	—	Haidich	SANDER, WIELER & Co.	On 26th inst., p.m.
NEW YORK via PORTS & SUEZ CANAL	INDRAVELLI	Am. str.	—	—	SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.	About 21st inst.
BOSTON & NEW YORK	MURDERER CASTLE	Brit. str.	—	—	DODWELL & Co., Ltd.	About 8th inst.
VICTORIA, B.C., VANCOUVER, & SEATTLE, &c.	KUMERIC	Brit. str.	—	W. Gray, Williams	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	About 13th inst.
VANCOUVER via SHANGHAI, JAPAN, &c.	EMPEROR OF JAPAN	Brit. str.	1 m.	G. B. McGill	DODWELL & Co., Ltd.	On 20th inst.
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VICTORIA, B.C. & TACOMA via JAPAN	CHICAGO MARU	Jap. str.	—	I. Goto	OSAKA SHOSSEN KAISHA	On 8th Nov., at Noon
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VICTORIA, B.C. & SEATTLE via SHANGHAI, &c.	TAMBA MARU	Jap. str.	—	K'Sato	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 8th Nov., at Noon
CALLAO, IQUIQUE, &c., via JAPAN PORTS, &c.	BUYO MARU	Jap. str.	—	—	TOYO KISEN KAISHA	On 22nd inst., at Noon
AUSTRALIAN PORTS via MANILA	COBLINZ	Ger. str.	—	H. Kasper	MELCHERS & Co.	On 23rd inst., at Noon
AUSTRALIAN PORTS via MANILA	NIRKO MARU	Jap. str.	—	M. Yagi	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 23rd inst., at Noon
AUSTRALIAN PORTS via MANILA	YUNO MARU	Jap. str.	—	M. Winkler	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 23rd inst., at Noon
NEW ORLEANS & KOBE	PRINZ WALDEMAR	Ger. str.	—	F. Isaks	MELCHERS & Co.	About 18th inst.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	KANG MARU	Jap. str.	—	F. L. Sommer	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 13th inst., at 5 p.m.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	KUMANO MARU	Jap. str.	—	M. Winkler	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 26th inst., at Noon
JAPAN	TOYMAHI	Dut. str.	—	Bouman	JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LUN	Quick despatch.
CHEFOO & NEWCHWANG	PAOCHING	Brit. str.	—	G. Hooker	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 11th inst., at 4 p.m.
CHEFOO & TIENSIN	KUICHOW	Brit. str.	1 m.	W. H. McElroy-Liddle	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 18th inst., at 4 p.m.
TIENSIN	CHONGSHING	Brit. str.	—	W. H. H. Hall, R.N.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	On 15th inst., at Noon
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	BOERNE	Brit. str.	—	Robust	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About 9th inst.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	DAIMBA	Brit. str.	—	Haidich	MELCHERS & Co.	On 10th inst., at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI via FOOCHOW	WAIHING	Brit. str.	—	F. Wheeler	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	To-day, at Noon
SHANGHAI via SWATOW	KWONGSANG	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	To-morrow, at Daylight
SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE	AKUTI	Brit. str.	—	S. J. G. Parsons	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	To-day, at midnight
SHANGHAI	BINGO MARU	Jap. str.	—	—	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 12th inst.
SHANGHAI	CHENAN	Brit. str.	1 m.	—	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 12th inst., at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI	DEVANHA	Brit. str.	—	H. Powell	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About 13th inst.
SHANGHAI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & MOJI	PEKING	Swed. str.	—	—	OLOF WIER & Co., Ltd.	On 15th inst.
SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	PRINCESS ALICE	Ger. str.	—	F. Prosch	MELCHERS & Co.	About 19th inst.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	SENGBAMBA	Ger. str.	k. w.	Eckhorn	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE	On 21st inst.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	FOENHANG	Brit. str.	—	—	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	On 24th Nov.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	SEVIA	Ger. str.	k. w.	Kotze	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE	On 6th Dec.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	SIAM	Dan. str.	—	—	MELCHERS & Co.	Quick despatch
SHANGHAI	YUKI	Brit. str.	—	H. Kasper	JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LUN	On 12th inst., at 10 a.m.
AMOI via SWATOW & AMOY	SORU MARU	Jap. str.	—	Y. Yamamoto	OSAKA SHOSSEN KAISHA	On 11th inst., at 10 a.m.
TAKSUI via SWATOW & AMOY	DAIKI MARU	Jap. str.	—	H. Murayama	OSAKA SHOSSEN KAISHA	On 11th inst., at 11 a.m.
SAWTOW	HADUM	Brit. str.	2 h.	A. H. Stewart	DOUGLAS LIPAIR & Co.	To-morrow, at 11 a.m.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	HATTAN	Brit. str.	2 h.	J. W. Evans	DOUGLAS LIPAIR & Co.	On 11th inst., at 11 a.m.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	HATYANG	Brit. str.	2 h.	A. E. Hodgkins	DOUGLAS LIPAIR & Co.	On 14th inst., at 11 a.m.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	HAICHING	Brit. str.	2 h.	W. C. Passmore	DOUGLAS LIPAIR & Co.	On 18th inst., at 11 a.m.
MANILA	RUBI	Brit. str.	—	H. Kasper	SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.	To-day, at Noon
MANILA	TEAN	Brit. str.	1 m.	A. W. Outerbridge	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 14th inst., at 4 p.m.
MANILA	LOONGSANG	Brit. str.	—	S. J. Payne	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	On 14th inst., at 4 p.m.
MANILA	ZAYTO	Brit. str.	—	A. E. Evans	SWAN, TOMES & Co.	On 15th inst., at Noon
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MANILA & CEBU	SUWONGANG	Brit. str.	1 m.	H. A. Harla	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	To-day, at 4 p.m.
ILIOLO & CEBU	KAIKONG	Brit. str.	1 m.	Mathies	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 14th inst., at 4 p.m.
SANDAKAN via JESSBLTON	MAUSANG	Brit. str.	—	Weigall	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	On 16th inst., at D'light
KUDAT & SANDAKAN	BOERNE	Ger. str.	—	F. Semblil	MELCHERS & Co.	End of Oct.
BOMBAY via SINGAPORE & PENANG	ISCHIA	Ital. str.	—	Belaidi	CALDWELL & Co.	On 12th inst., at Noon
BOMBAY via SINGAPORE & COLOMBO	CEYLON MARU	Jap. str.	—	Fred. Pyne	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 18th inst.
SINGAPORE, PENANG, & CALCUTTA	NAMANG	Brit. str.	—	M. B. Lake	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.	To-day, at Noon
SIAPAVIA, CHERIBON, BAMBANG, &c.	TIENWONG	Dut. str.	—	A. Paander	JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LUN	Quick despatch.











